# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT	)	
FILING OF SHARPSBURG WATER	) CASE NO. 2012-0003	39
DISTRICT	)	

### ORDER

On February 2, 2012, Sharpsburg Water District ("Sharpsburg") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

- 1. Sharpsburg purchases water from Bath County Water District ("Bath District") and the city of Carlisle ("Carlisle").
- 2. On January 15, 2012, Bath District increased its volumetric wholesale rate to Sharpsburg from \$2.83 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.91 per 1,000 gallons.<sup>2</sup>
- 3. On January 11, 2012, Sharpsburg's Board of Commissioners approved the request for a purchased water adjustment to be effective January 15, 2012. Sharpsburg proposes a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.09 per 1,000 gallons to be applied to its rates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KRS 278.015; 807 KAR 5:068.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Case No. 2011-000514, Purchased Water Adjustment Filing of Bath County Water District (Ky. PSC Jan. 18, 2012).

- 4. Sharpsburg's proposed rates, which are set forth in Appendix B to this Order, implement a purchased water adjustment of \$0.09 per 1,000 gallons.
- 5. During the 12 months ending December 31, 2011, Sharpsburg purchased 81,338,000 gallons of water from Bath District and 38,102,500 gallons of water from Carlisle and sold 76,769,200 gallons of water.
- 6. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.9 per 1,000 gallons is fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved.
- 7. The rates set forth in Appendix B to this Order are fair, just, and reasonable and should be approved for water service that Sharpsburg renders on and after January 15, 2012.

### IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. Sharpsburg's proposed rates are approved.
- 2. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.09 per 1,000 gallons as calculated in Appendix A is approved.
- 3. The rates in Appendix B are approved for service rendered on or after January 15, 2012.
  - 4. Sharpsburg's proposed tariff sheet filed with the application is approved.

By the Commission

FEB 1 4 2012
KENTUCKY PUBLIC

Executive Director

### APPENDIX A

## APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2012-00039 DATED FEB 1 4 2012

Poth County MD	New Rate	Base Rate	
Bath County WD Purchases in gallons Volumetric rate	81,338,000 \$2.91 /1,000 \$236,693.58	81,338,000 <u>\$2.83/1,000</u> \$230,186.54	
Carlisle Purchases in gallons Volumetric rate	38,102,500 <u>NO CHANGE</u>	38,102,500 NO CHANGE	
Increased water cost		\$6,507.04	
Increased water cost Divided by gallons sol Purchased water adju		\$6,507.04 <u>76,769,200</u> \$0.08476 or \$0.09	per 1,000 gallons

### APPENDIX B

### APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2012-00039 DATED FEB 1 4 2012

The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Sharpsburg Water District. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

### Monthly Water Rates

5/8" x 3/4 First Next Next Over	2,000 3,000 5,000	gallons gallons gallons gallons	\$24.78 5.90 5.24 4.98	Minimum Bill per 1,000 gallons per 1,000 gallons per 1,000 gallons
1" Meter First Next Over	5,000 5,000	gallons gallons gallons	\$42.48 5.24 4.98	Minimum Bill per 1,000 gallons per 1,000 gallons
2" Meter First Over	16,000	gallons gallons	\$98.56 4.98	Minimum Bill per 1,000 gallons
Schools First Over		gallons gallons	\$ 267.88 4.98	Minimum Bill per 1,000 gallons

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